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ABSTRACT

METHOD TO PROVIDE AUTHORIZATION, A CERTIFYING

AUTHORITY, A TERMINAL AND A SERVICE PROVIDER REALIZING SUCH A

METHOD AND A TELECOMMUNICATION NETWORK COMPRISING SUCH A

CERTIFYING AUTHORITY, SUCH A TERMINAL AND SUCH A SERVICE PROVIDER

The invention relates to a method for use in a telecommunication environment. The method provides authorization by a certifying authority (CA) to a service provider (SP) whereby the service provider (SP) is allowed to execute predefined functionality (F) when a service is provided by the service provider (SP) to a terminal (T) of a user. The method includes the step of delivering a certificate (CERT) by the certifying authority (CA) to the service provider (SP). Moreover the method comprises the step defining in the certificate (CERT) a definition of the predefined allowed functionality (F) that is part of a global functionality (GF) supported in the telecommunication environment. Furthermore the invention concerns a certifying authority (CA), a service provider (SP) and a terminal (T) to realize the method.